



At our June meeting the Residential Advocacy Committee introduced Village to Village representatives who spoke to our committee and public participants. This group is a nonprofit organization that enables older adults to remain safe and independent in their homes. The Village to Village program has been successful in other communities on the Delmarva Peninsula like Bethany Beach, Ocean View, and Lewes as well as communities all over the US and England. Because of the interest expressed by some Fenwick residents, we are sending this survey to the Fenwick Community.

These results will be sent to an independent exploratory committee unaffiliated with Council or other Town officials. Please note that the Village program is a separate and independent entity. While the Town Council is not officially endorsing this program, Town officials thought it would be helpful to share this information with those who might be interested

Any additional questions should be directed to info@villagevolunteer.org. All surveys will be returned to:

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Fenwick Island, DE 19944

Thank You

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Fenwick Island, Council Member and Residential Advocacy Chair

Your feedback is really appreciated for this needs assessment survey!

A group of local volunteers is working to create a local organization called Village to Village in the Fenwick area. Why? Recent global affairs highlight the importance of bringing volunteers together to help senior citizens continue to live independently in their homes and to stay active in their community with volunteers helping with transportation, shopping, small household chores, and other tasks. If you are 50 or over, and live in the Fenwick area, please take a few moments to complete this survey.

1. What is your age?

2. What is the zip code of your Fenwick area residence?

3. How many people over the age of 50 live in your household?

- ☐ One
- ☐ Two
- ☐ Three
- ☐ Four or more

4. Please rank the importance of the following services

	Very Important	Important	Not important	N/A
Transportation to local appointments, shopping or errands	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Friendly social home visits	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Daily telephone well-being calls	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Help with household chores	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Help with minor household repairs	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Help with yard work	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Help with household organization	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Help with trash/recycle takeout and return	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Help with financial/administrative services (paying bills, banking, filing)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Help with computer/technology assistance	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Help with pet care	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Other (please specify)

5. The Fenwick Village Volunteers will be a nonprofit organization dependent on fundraising and annual membership fees used to pay for administration, insurance, and organizational expenses. Would you, for example, be willing to pay an annual membership fee of \$500 for 25 hours of service per month (\$1.67 per hour)? We are not asking for a financial commitment at this time.

☐ Yes

☐ No

6. The Fenwick Village is a community effort and will exist only if there are a large number of volunteers willing to serve their neighbors. If the Fenwick Village did exist, would you be interested in being a volunteer? We are not asking for a commitment at this time.

☐ Yes

☐ No

7. What suggestions, comments or concerns do you have as a potential member or volunteer:

8. Would you like to be added to our mailing list and receive updates on our development?

☐ Yes

☐ No

9. Please complete information below. We **will not** share this information with any other organization.

Name

Address

Address 2

City/Town

State/Province

ZIP/Postal Code

Email Address

Phone Number